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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

WE Have THIS DAY entered into PART-NERSHIP SASHARE and GENERAL VATE WHARF. BROKERS, under the Style of "CHATER & VERMON."

J. THEO. CHATER. J. Y. V. VERNON. Hongkong, June 1, 1880. NOTICE.

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NOTICE. TAR. C. STIEBEL has To-DAY been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.

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> J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctionser.

Hongkong, May 31, 1880.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ELEGANT ENGLISH AND AMERICAN-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, OIL PAINTING, ENGRAVINGS,

OLEOGRAPHS, GLASSWARE, PLATED WARE, PIANO,

HE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 15th June, 1880, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of Miss Land, No. 14, Hollywood Road,-

The whole of the ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising:-Crimson Rep-covered Drawing-room

English-made Walnut Marble-top Cheffonier, with Glass.

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and 14th June. TERMS OF SALE .-- As bustomary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Austioneer. Hongkong, June 3, 1880.

Intimations.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR

CHAREHOLDERS in the above OFFICE are requested to Farnish the Under-Walnut Stationery CASES and INKsigned with a List of their Contributions MORDAN'S PRESSES, Letter and Foolscap Postal BALANCES and Family SCALES.

for the year ending 31st December 1879, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS Reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 15th June next, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, May 10, 1880. NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 118. CHINA SEA.

SWATOW DISTRICT.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE LIGHT-HOUSE. in the Winter as usual. ATOTICE is hereby given, that the CAPE OF GOOD HOPE LIGHT WAS exhibited for the First Time at Sunset of the 28th

Instant. The Illuminating Apparatus is Dioptric of the Fourth Order, shewing a fixed Red Light from S. 32° E. to S. 10° E., a fixed White Light eclipsed for about 4 seconds every half minute from 8, 10° E, round by

Magnetic and from Seaward.

The Tower is round, of iron, 10 feet high and with a total height from its base to the lantern vane of 22 feet. The Tower, Dwellings and Boundary Wall are painted white.

Approximate Position :- Lat. 23° 14' Long. 116° 47' By order of the Inspector-General of Customs. DAVID M. HENDERSON,

Engineer-in-Chief. Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office, Swatow, 81st May, 1880.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. CHINA SEA.

No. 119.

SWATOW DISTRICT. SUGAR LOAF ISLAND LIGHT-HOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the SUGAR LOAF ISLAND LIGHT was exhibited for the First Time at Sunset of the 29th The Illuminating Apparatus is Dioptric of the Sixth Order, shewing a fixed White

Light varied by Red Flashes at half minute intervals and visible all round. The Light is elevated 200 feet above the level of the sea, and, in clear weather, it should be visible 8 nautical miles. The Tower is round, of iron, 91 feet high and with a total height from its base to the lantern vane of 211 feet. The Tower and Lantern Dome are paint-

ed red and the Dwellings white. Approximate Position:-Lat. 23° 19' Long. 116° 44' 25" By order of the Inspector-General of

> DAVID M. HENDERSON. Engineer-in-Chief.

Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office, Swatow, Sist May, 1880.

chant, Deceased.

In the Matter of the Estate of KWOK ACHEONG, late of Hongkong, Mer-

ATOTICE is hereby given, that all Creditors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of KWUK ACHEONG, who died at Victoria in the Island of Hongkong on the 22nd day of April, 1880, and whose Will was duly proved by Kwok Yin Kar and KWOK YUNG Po, of No. 8, Queen's Road West, Victoria, aforesaid, in the Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Jurisdiction on the 30th day of April, 1680, are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their Claims or Demands to the said Kwon Yin Kar and Kwok Yung Po at their residence, aforesaid, or to Mesars BESESTON & WOTTON, the Solicitors of the said Kwok YIN KAL and Kwok Yung Po, at their Office, 29, Queen's Koad, Viotoria, aforesaid on or before the lat day of September, 1880. And Notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day above on SATURDAY, the 12th June, at the said KWOK YIN KATAND KWOR YUNG PO Daylight. will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said KWOK ACHEONG, amongst the Parties entitled thereto having regard to the Claims of which the said Kwon YIN KAI and Kwok hung Po or their Solicitors the said Messes Brereron & Worron have then had notice; and that the said Kwok Ym KAI and KWOK YUNG Po will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof so dis-American-made Walnut Marble-top tributed, to any person of whose Claim the said Kwon Yin Kai and Kwon Yung Pohad not had notice at the time of the dis-Dated this lat day of May, 1880. BRERETON & WUTTON,

29, QUEEN'S ROAD, Hongkong,

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any Quantity on application to THE BORNEO Co., Ld., Agents. Hongkon, March 8, 1880. 8mr8

SAILORS' HOME.

A NY Cast-off Chorning, Books, or Papers will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

Intimations.

AH-TOW & Co. SHIP'S COMPRADORE, STEVEDORE, BALLASTER AND WATER SUPPLIER, Hongkong & Whampon, (the same Proprietor) Keep on hand and for sale, well assorted Oilman's Stores & Coal of all kinds. Shipping supplied at the shortest notice

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Hongkong, June 1, 1880. DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANG-Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

MURRAY & LANMAN'S WATER. FLORIDA

CAUTION. .

TTAVING Learned that Large Quantities of IMITATIONS of our FLORIDA S. and W. to N. 83° E., and a fixed Red WATER lave recently been imported to Light eclipsed for about 4 seconds every Hongkong, we caution the Public against half minute from N. 81° E. till it is shut purchasing any that does not bear the name in by Ma-urh Point. The bearings are "MURRAY & LANMAN" on the label. Each Bottle of the Genuine is wrapped The Light is elevated 171 feet above the level of the sea, and, in clear weather, the last the words "LANMAN & KEMP, with Light abould be visible at a distance NEW YORK" in Water Mark. Messrs MELCHERS & Co. are our only

AGENTS for Sale of the Gennine Florida Water at Hongkong. LANMAN & KEMP.

New York, July 9, 1878.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO. The Steamship Capt. F. Ashron, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 6th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, June 4, 1880.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Spanish Steamer BLANCO, Master, will be despatched as above on

MONDAY Next, the 7th Inst., at 4 o'clock For Freight or Passage, apply to

REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1880. Hongkong, June 4, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Captain J. K. WEBSTER, will be despatched on or about the 5th June.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, · Agente. Hongkong, May 27, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIEN-

TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. J. Nicoz, will be jespatched on or about

the 9th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, June 4, 1880. FOR COOKTOWN, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN if sufficient

inducement offers and Tuking Cargo and Passengers for all Aus tralian and New Zealand Ports.) The Steamer J. Brows, Commander, will be despatched as

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, May 28, 1880. FOR SINGAPORE, BRISBANE, SYD NEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling off the usual Coast Ports, and taking through Cargo and Passengers for New Zealand.)

The Eastern and Aps. tralian Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer will be despaigned as above on SATUR-DAY, the 12th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, June 4, 1889. OCEAN STEAMBHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA BUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain R. T. Powes,
will be despatched on or about the 12th June. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, May 27, 1880.

Shipping.

Steamers.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIR DES MESSAGRRIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS The Co.'s Steamship Commandant GUIBAND, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, May 31, 1880.

the next French Mall from Europe.

NOTIOF. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Commdt. CHAMPENOIS, will be despatched for HANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent

Hongkong, May 31, 1880.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship Jackson, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. 4. Pigarro.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 31, 1880,

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship TAYLOR, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, May 31, 1880.

have quick despatch.

FOR HONOLULU. The A 1 British Bark WILLIAMS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOCKL & Co. Hongkong, May 21, 1880.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. The 5/6 L.1.1. German Bark Wintens, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

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Hongkong, May 19, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American ship *MES, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 24, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship MARCY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 24, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship W. O. WARLAND, Master, will load here for the above Port,

For Freight, apply to YOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 21, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship "Centennia" BEARSE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Bark MAYNARD Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1880.

FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND

THE S. S. Moray having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consigners risk

and expense. JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1880.

SINGAPORE. are hereby requested to send in their Bills

For Sale.

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AL80, BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

N MONDAY, the 7th day of June, 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S. IRAOUADDY, Commandant GAUVAIN, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in trausit through Marselles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 6th of June, 1880. (Parcels are not

to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent. Hongkong, May 25, 1880.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA

OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOROHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO. THE U.S. Mail Steamship CITY OF

PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on MON-DAY, the 7th June, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading Issued for trans-

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England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 2 p.m., the 6th June. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same le required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage

and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central. RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong, May 22, 1880.



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STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain

HUBINET, due here on or about the 7th June, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 12th June, at Day-Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 11th June.

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Company's Offices, No. 504, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, May 81, 1880.

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of same is required. A REDUCTION IS made on RETURN PAS-BAGE TICKETS. Consular Involces to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus-

tome, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 87, Queen's Road Central.

G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, June 1, 1880.

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TIME PENINGULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship PESHAWUR, Captain REYNOLDSON, will leave this on MONDAY, the 14th June, at 6 p.m.

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Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

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Hongkong, November 1, 1871. THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

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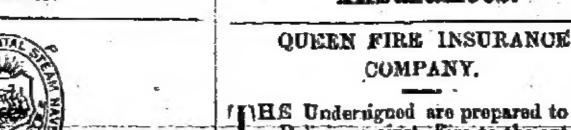
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Agents.

Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Oxfordshire, Captain JONES, having arrived from the above Ports, Consiguees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods

from alonguide. Cargo impeding the discharge of the 2.55 a.m., and Macao 5, 9 a.m., General. Steamer will be at once landed and stored | SHUN HANG. at the Consginees' risk and expense, No Fire Insurance will be effected.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 1, 1880. FROM LONDON & PORTS OF CALL

HE S. S. Lord of the Isles having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being land ed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, situated on Marine Lot No. 10, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

8th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lacking will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 1, 1880.

STEAMSHIP "JAPAN," FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above

Steamer are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-Cargo impeding her discharge or remaining on board after the 9th Instant, will be

landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be Consignees are hereby informed that any Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 12th Instant.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, June 8, 1880.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship " Namoa."

Capt. WESTORY, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 9th Inst., at For SHANGHAL.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, June 5, 1880. TRAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

Steamship
"China"
will leave for the above Place on THURSDAY, 10th Instant, at E. L. WOODIN,

p. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, June 5, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. 8. S. "SUMIDA MARU," FROM

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods

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I MMA, German 8-masted schooner, Capt. P. T. Michelsen.-Eduard Schellbass & Co. PIZABBO, British ship, Captain J. N. Jackson.-Borneo Company, Limited. MARIE LOUISE, German barque, Captain Erichsen.—Wieler & Co.

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P. Lincoln.-P. & O. S. N. Co. WILLIAM RITSON, British barque, Capt. Brough.—Melchers & Co. CILURNUM, British ship, Capt. Beadle.-Wieler & Co.

STRATHLEVEN, British steamer, Capt. C. W. Pearson. - Jardine, Matheson & Co. CLIFTON, British barque, Capt. Davies .-Rozario & Co

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS, June 4, Three Brothers, British barque, 366, H. Kahlcke, Quangai June 1, General. -ER TAY HONG.

June 5, Clifton, British barque 380, Davies, Swatow June 3, Ballant -- ROZABIO June 5, Iraquaddy, French steamer, 2477, Gauvain, Shanghai June 2, Mails and General -- Messageries Maritimes.

June 5, Asia, Russian man-of-war, 2500. guna, Amosoff, Admiral Aslanbegoff, Singapore May 24. June 5, 2 p.m., Conquest, British steamer. 318, Thos, Hamlin, Haiphong May 29, 2 p.m., Pakhoi June 1, 3 a.m., Hoihow 3,

DEPARTURES. June 5, James S. Stone, for New York. 5, Llewellyn J. Morse, for San Fran-5. Asia, for Vladivos'ook, 5, Ningpo, for Shanghai.

CLEARIED. Alex. Newton, for Takao. Albay, for Swatow, &c

"ASSENGERS

oastantin, and 84 Chinese.

5, Esmeralda, for Amoy.

ARRIVED. Per Iraouaddy, from Shanghal: for Hongkong, Mr B. H. Burns, and 2 Chinese; for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs O. Grabe, Mr J. C. Bois, Mrs Collius and 3 children, Dr. Bushell, Mr A. Seisson, Sister la Mere St. Alban, Mr J. S. Halsey, Mr and Mrs I. H. Blackert. Per Conquest, from Haiphong, &c., Mr

Per Three Brothers, from Quangai, 14 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Asia, for Vladivostock, 5 Europeans, and 10 Chinese. Per Ningpo, for Shanghal, 2 Cabin.

Per Kemeralda, for Amoy, 60 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Albay, for Amoy, &c., 100 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS

The British steamer Conquest reports: Left Haiphong May 29th at 2 p.m., thence to Pakhoi fresh Kasterly winds and fine weather. Arrived in Pakhoi on 31st at 3 o.m. Left Pakhoi at 3 a.m. on 1st June. thence to Hoihow Easterly winds and calm. Arrived in Hollow at 10.30 p.m. same day. Left Hoibow on 3rd at 2 55 a.m., thence to Daugoists' Sunories, Nursery Requijolo | Macao first part light Southerly winds, lat-

rived in Masso at 10 a.m. on 4th, and left at 0 a.m. on the 5th. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

ter part strong 8.W. squalls and rain. Ar-

MAILS will close: For SWATOW .-Per Hungarian, at 9 a.m. To-morrow,

Per Kiungchow, at D a.m. To-morrow, the 6th last. For BANGKOK. --Per Oleveland, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 7th inst., instead of as previously For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODHOW .-

the 9th inst. For BANGKOK,-Per Consolation, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 9th inst.

Per Namea, at 0.30 a.m., on Wednesday,

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS & BOM-BAY. Per China, at 3.80 p.m., on Thursday, the 10th inst. jelo For OCOKTOWN, SYDNEY, MEL-

BOURNE, &c.-Per Claverhouse, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 11th June. For JAPAN via KOBE,_ Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday,

the 11th June.

the Mails, &c.

For JAPAN via NAGASAKI.-Per Malacca, at 11.80 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th inst. MAILS BY THE PREMOR PACKET .the French Contract Packet Iraquaddy

will on despatched on MONDAY

Correspondence cannot be Registered after FRUITS, RASPBERRY VINEGAR, &c. The Mails will be closed at 3.30 p.m. Supplementary mail on board with 10 cents late fee till time of departure.

mania, New Zealand, Fill, and Mel-

Correspondence for Southern and Western better to send it via Galle. Hongkong, June 5, 1880.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight - Albay leaves for Swatow, &c

RELIGIOUS SERVICES :--

Military Service .- Rev. C. Gilbert Booth, B.A., Military Chaplain. Parade Service at 8 A.M. Boly Communion on the second and fourth Sundays at the conclusion of and that the time for action, long and the Parade Service. [A Voluntary Service is held in the Garrison Theatre at 7 45

Union Church .- Morning Service, at 11 A.M., Afternoon, 5 P.M.—Divine Service in Chinese, 2-3 P.M. every Sunday, with communion on first Sunday of every month, -Rev. Dr. Chalmers.

Service at 6 P.M. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion on the first Sunday in. the month at 11 A.M. All seats free. ST. STEPREN'S MISSION CHURCH.-Rev. Grandy, and Rev. Lo Sam Yuen, (All Services in Chinese.) Morning Prayer:-Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 8 action of Dr Stewart in this matter-P.M. Preaching, at 6.30 P.M. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday in Chinese month. BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE, -- Service in

St. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Road .-

the German language, by Pastor F. Klitzke,

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Service, Benediction.

Shipping. Call and Europe.

General Memoranda. TUESDAY, June 8:-

hama and San Francisco.

4 p.m.—Emuy leaves for Manila.

Noon,-Auction of Sundries at Naval Goods per Sumida Maru undelivered will be landed. Goods per Lord of the Isles unde livered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, June 9:-10 a.m. - Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. Goods per Jopan undelivered after this date subject to rent. THURSDAY, June 10:-

4 p.m.-China leaves for Bombay.

Brisbane, &c.

Mr J. M. Armstrong).

SATURDAY, June 12 :-Daylight, - Claverhouse leaves for Cooktown, Sydney, &c. Daylight. - Mitau Bishi Mail leaves for Yokohama, de.

MONDAY, June 14 :--5 p.m -English Mail leaves for Ports of | 840,000 -together with the muinten-Call and Europe. TUESDAY, June 15:-

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reference.

from these countries, are now filed for

The China Mail.

HONGHONG, SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1880

at 7.85 p.m.

that which cannot be done; but so long minary processes of growth. will be despe ched from Hongkong, on state of affairs must be rearlessly dealt which would be a credit to the Colliny SATURDAY, the 12th Instant, with with. From the official statement should have led him into the develop-Mails for Singapore Thursday Island, published last evening in these columns, ment of plans which will cost so much Cooktown, Cleveland Bay, Bowen, it appears that the Government are ap- money and it seems also a pity that palled at the enormous cost of the new out of this fact, so much talk and delay Central School buildings; and it must will arise. The only good that can be be admitted that the sum of \$130,000 is evolved from the deliberations of this indeed a very large figure. In face, Commission is, a clearer and, if possible, however, of this large outlay, and pre-fuller exposition of new views; a dissumably to find a way out of the dif- persion of many chimerical notions in ficulty, a more extensive scheme is sug- regard to the educational future of the

paratory schools, (2) to consider Dr Eitel's suggestions as to the revised of the entire educational system, and (3) to examine another of the Inspector's proposals, to attach to the Central School a Training School for native ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL - Rov. W. Jen. teachers. Here an eager public will nings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain. Morning find ample food for criticism and the Service 11, Evening 5. Holy Communion fullest scope for discussion; but the every Sunday, except the 2nd and 4th in community were in hopes that the talk had been ended, as the Secretary of State's despatches were fairly conclusive regarding the old system of education wearily waited for, had come. Besides, a Commission involves a complete stop being put to all progress for at least a year; or, if it be not more expeditious than that upon Gambling, for a much longer period. There is but one consolation-and it is of a rather melan-ST. PLTER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH.-Rev. | choly kind-viz., that Hongkong may O. Gilbert Booth, B.A., Seamen's Chaplain. be blessed with a ruler fonder of definite work than the present Governor, ere things get into an irretrievable state of

Apart from the great cost of the new Central School buildings, we confess that we do not precisely understand the unless it be that he has abandoned all hope of anything definite being done under the restless spirite that now every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in sway the destinies of the Colony. It is the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, certainly strange that Dr Stewart should now be constrained by the force of circumstances to join in another "palaver" 8 a.m Mass and Sermon. 6 p.m. Evening over questions which had been generally regarded as settled; but it is equally clear that his proposal, to make the Commission all-embracing both in its composition and the scope of its inquiry, is the best under the circumstances. Noon .- French Mail leaves for Ports of Once for all, and in a straightforward, open, manner, let the whole subject be p.m.—American Mail leaves for Yoko- again considered—if it must be soand as speedily as possible let a definite and practicable plan of action be decided upon, and carried out. If this be, as we suppose it is, the view taken by Dr Stewart, some credit must be given to the Governor for the proposal that the Head Master and Acting Colonial Secretary shall act as Chairman of the Commission, because no man, not even excepting Dr Eitel, knows more about practical education than Dr Stewart.

There are several features in the proposals which the Commission will be asked to consider which may strike one as peculiar. If the Colony erected a large school building, it does not appear that the cost will be materially lessened or increased, whether the Institution be used as a Central School or as a Collegiate Institution. Indeed, so far as salaries are concerned, a higher class of teaching will inevitably demand 4 p.m. - Somerset leaves for Bingapore, is larger outlay. And if the five new schools be taken into account—they will probably not be built for less than ance of five new English masters, the matter of cost assumes an aspect even 2 p.m .- tuetion of Household Furniture, more serious than that presented dre., at the residence of Miss Lamb (by by the estimate for the new Central School. This desire of the present Head of the Executive to aim so high, and to reach away for into futurity, has attached to it a financial consideration, HONGKONG DISPENSARY, in addition to the fact that it leads him into schemes which are regarded as premature. Is it necessary as yet to entertain the notion of so large a scheme of education until the native community have in some measure been prepared for AMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS, it; and to saddle the present tarpayers with the maintenance of a College with a staff of highly-trained men before the Colony has produced the students? No one, it is true, can claim the character of a sagacious administrator who fails to look into the future; but there is a wide gulf between sagacity and fantastic dreaming; and it is to be hoped that the members of the Commission will bear in mind that s practical solution of the problems of education affecting the Colony as it now exists, with a reasonable allowance for hoped-for progress, is all that they as men of understanding are called upon to give. In a Colony like Hongkong, the Government must walk worlly before it can run safely, in matters educational as well as things political or municipal; and care must be taken in this instance not to run away from all existing landmarks, so as to avoid certain and humiliating failure. An idea has been formed by some one that the so-called Collegiate Institution would be self-supporting; but, as Dr Eitel says, the five preparatory schools which are supposed to act as feeders for the higher-class institution, "would be made up of pupils from the very poorest classes." That notion, therefore, is manifestly absurd; and the whole history of the Central School is a proof that such is the case. Again, this exasperating iteration as to there being no system-no "periphery"-is a thing which will have to be thoroughly laid hold of and exposed by the Commission now suggested. It is arrant folly to talk about the last eighteen years of educational experience having been in-An ample supply of Water and Edu- cohesive, as the Chinese have scarcely cation are absolute necessaries in a civi- vet discovered what education means, lised community. We have spoken of and are only now beginning to realize the first, and may now say a word upon lits advantages. The learned Inspector, the 7th June, with Mails to and the second requisite. Much more has while he rightly advocates a policy of through the United Kingdom and been said in Hongkong about Education accommodation regarding Domestic Sla-Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, ftraits during the last three years than has very, seems entirely to forget the allow-Settlements, Ratavia, Burmah, Cylon, been done; and the discovery has now sinces that must be made for the back-India (via Madras), Australia, New been made that there is much more to ward state of the Anglo-British com-Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden, Suez, say. It is exceedingly to be regretted munity in the matter of education, and that Sir John Hennessy lacks the fancies that the most perfect system The usual bours will be observed in closing familty of doing what his hand findeth of European nations should bloom here to do, instead of seeking to attain to without having gone through the prel-MAILS BY THE TORBES STRAITS PACKET.— as the powers in Downing Street con- It is a pity that the desire of the The Australian Contract Packet Somerset, tinue to give him authority, the existing Surveyor, General to build a school

gested; and the ominous appointment Colony; and an even more empliated Australia can be sent by this route if of a Commission is spoken of, to in- recognition than has yet been given of do ired, but se a general rule it is quire (1) into the advisability of making the rational and fairly satisfactory prothe Central School a Collegiate In- gress made in educational matters under

je12 stitution to be fed from five new pre- Dr. Frederick Stewart.

THE TEA STEAMERS AND THE TEA SEASON. The following notes on the week's work done at Hankow, and the steamers (Per &. E. A. & O. Telegraph Ca.'s Lina) which have left since last report, are culled from the various reports which appear in our Shanghai contemporaries to hand this morning. The Loudoun Castle left her moorings on the Albanians. the morning of the 26th, at about the same hour, 3 o'clock a.m. as the Glencoe, and is thus, as nearly as possible, four days behind her. "She has many wellwishers in Hankow," says the Courier correspondent; "and it is thought by some that she will be able to get over the course in as short a space of time as the Glencoe. Indeed I heard one enthusiastic individual express the conviction that she will succeed in overtaking her, and land her teas as early, if not She is in splendid trim in every way, and will no doubt run her opponent very close. There was a rumour current before the Glencoe left that the piston of her low-pressure cylinder was not as strong as it ought to be, but there may be nothing in it. The Loudoun takes 2,743,280 pounds tea, against the Glencoc's 3,035,668. Her cargo was made up of 16,044.77 piculs Hankow tea, 4,529.83 piculs Kiuking and 180.90 piculs tea dust; total, 20,755.50 piculs. She passed Woosung at 8.30 on the evening of the 27th, (not having gone aground this time) which would give her 41 hours fully. With regard to the run down the river we read that "the time occupied in bringing the Glencoe down from Hankow to the Red Buoy, was, by official log, this year 38 hours. Last year it was reported that the Glenariney was brought down in the quickest time on record-1 day and 19 hrs. (i.e. 43 hrs.)—but we have been informed that this year's pilot of the | The Spanish brig Manuel arrived at Manila Glencoe, Mr Fiben, three years ago on the 29th May, 13 days from Hongkong. brought the Glenartney down, according to official time, in 39 hours." To THE P. & O. steamer Mizzapore, with the this we could only add that the Glencoe's time last year was only 40 hours. The Glenartney was the third steamer to day. She left on the 28th in the morning; we do not have the hour; she | On Thursday last Mr G. Saunders, verger | any meaning or application we are not told. was passed, ten miles to the southward and sexton of St. John's Cathedral and The Mercury regards it is a joke, it says, of the Tungsha Lightship, at 20 minutes | Chief Usher at the Magistracy, was pre- and elaborately explains with sweet simto 10 a.m. on the 29th; she passed Chinkiang on Saturday morning, but had to anchor in the river owing to a fog, and so did not get to the Red Buoy till 9.30 fallen behind rather considerably in the ent Colonial Departments, a service of 21 against our countrymen. Will any one lbs. tea, viz., 1,689,592 lbs. Hankow, 831,089 lbs. Kiukiang, and 19,067 lbs. tea dust. Next, the Glenearn was at latest Officer. advices to leave Hankow on Monday. She passed out at 10 a.m. on Tuesday morning. The extent of her cargo is not stated. The Petersburg, which Aslombeghoff, arrived here shortly before loaded close to the Chusan Hulk, was, after taking in cargo to the extent of 28 ft. draft of water, found high and dry (practically), which caused considerable detention in her sailing. The Hankow, which arrived at midnight on the 26th, 9 guns of a heavy calibre, with a completowed off the Russian steamer with a good deal of difficulty. The remuneration of the Hankow is said to be Tls. 10,000. The Russian was to leave on the morning of the 31st, and might therefore be ex- tions expected to be received daily from St. pected to pass the Langshan crossing at | Petersburg. about 8 p.m. on the 1st, or early the following morning. The Petersburg gets £7 to Odessa-a splendid freight. The Moskowa's rate has not been made public. but is probably the same. She, latter) was expected to get away im- were exchanged by that ship and H.I.R.M. mediately after her consort. The Afghan Ship Asia. and Achilles were rapidly filling up, and would probably get away on Tuesday or Wednesday of this week. The Hesperia and Hankow were both taking in tea, and would be off early in | this evening at half-past five o'clock. H. E. the week. The Tibre arrived on the was received by a goard of honour of fifty morning of the 29th and was to have quick despatch. No more steamers were expected. The freight rates we have already given in these columns are corroborated by the papers to hand to-day. The Achilles and Hesperia were loading by Mr Adolph André, the Consul for Rusat £3 5s. Od., and the Afghan, Breconshire, Malabar, Galley of Lorne, Hankow, Glamie Castle, and Cairnsmuir, at As low a rate as £2 15s 0d. had been mentioned in connection with the name of one of the steamers now in port, but £3, we read, is the lowest that has actually been paid. Up to the 29th May, the total shipments from the commencement of the season, as we find them in the Shanghai papers, were 8,342,816 pounds. It will be special authority, At that date, in black teas the market was lower for common and low medium teas, but steady for all other kinds. Total settlements to date were almost exactly the same as last their flags at half mast. but the Russians had taken Achests more, and the English less. Teas were cheaper than last year, quality considered, and the first crop would shew little, if any increase. The unseld stock was 200 reported the success of his efforts on behalf of change and no later news. Unsold stock 1,500 1-chests. One authority rather neatly puts it that the Russians have been large buyers, out of good feeling to China probably, one-half of the total have fetched from Tls. 18 to Tls. 38 per part of every resident to whom he had spoken Tis. 24. Settlements to date halflatest "gup" was that the country teamen were frightened at the fall that had taken place, and were likely to be cautious it was predicted by some of them that it would now be some time before the second crop would be brought down. We have had the following specially bring the figures up to the 29th May. courteously placed at our disposal, (the

1 1880. | 1879. | 1880. | 1870. | 1880. | 1879. 1 433,365 581,600 815,323 167,124 68,042 121,476 631,418 107,944 496,684 190,506 184,831 127,488 Incr. 23,271 Inc. 115,176 Decr. 97,907

figures give hulf-obests) :-

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MARES"]. O-DRIBRMINHD-TO-ATTACK-TRE

LONDON, June 3. Montenegro has determined to attack

ALBANIANS.

THE LIBERALS AND CYPRUS : COLONIAL OFFICE.

The Premier has made a statement concerning Cyprus to the effect that the Convention cannot be treated as nonexistent, but that the Island would be transferred to the Colonial Office, which would execute the necessary reforms.

DEATH OF THE EMPRESS OF BUSSIA. LONDON, June 4. The Empress of Russia is dead.

LONDON, June 4 Gordon Pasha has resigned the Private Secretaryship to the Viceroy of India.

GORDON PASHA RESIGNS THE VICEBOY'S

PRIVATE SECRETARYSHIP.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The next French Mail may be expected to arrive here To-morrow, the 6th inst., by the M. M. steamer Yangted, which brings London dates up to the 80th April. The next English Mail may be expected to arrive here on Friday morning next, the 11th inst., by the P. & O. steamer Mirzapore

The American barque Guardian left Manila 20th. on the 28th ult. for Hongkong.

which briogs London advices up to the 7th

English mails, left Singapore at 7 a.m. to-

and esteem on his retirement from official on Sunday, 30th. She has therefore life. Mr Saunders has completed, in differ- must plead guilty to Sydney Smith's charge allowed to go at full speed by night in the The Glenartney took 2,539,748 years, and now retires on a pension on the lend us a gimlet? recommendation of the Colonial Medical

> H. I. R. Majosty's frigate Asia, Captain Amassoff, bearing the flag of Rear-Admiral noon to-day, and exchanged salutes with the shore battery, the Comus, the Prinz adalbert and the Vital de Oliveira. The Asia is a vessel of 2,500 tons and carries ment of 250 men. The Asia will proceed northwards to Japan on Tuesday next, but her future movements depend on instruc-

H.E. the Russian Admiral paid an official visit this evening to the German Corvette Prinz Adalbert, when the customary salutes

H. E. REAR-ADMIRAL Aslombeghoff, of the Russian Imperial Navy, landed officially rank and file, two officers, the Regimental colours, and band of the 27th Regiment, and was saluted by the Royal Artillery with 13 guns. He was accompanied on landing sia, and the Admiral and suite proceeded to Government House.

WE understand that arrangements have been made by H.E. the Governor with the Naval authorities of the several nationalities in harbour, as well as with the Military authorities on shore, for the firing of minute guns on Monday next on the occasion of the death of Her Majesty the Empress of noted that we give full figures below on Russia, whose demise after some five years' suffering is wired by Reuter to-day, as appears in another column. The various Consuls have also been requested to hoist

Ar the adjourned meeting of the Seatholders of Union Church, held this afternoon-Rev. Dr. Chalmers in the chair-Mr W. Legge half-chests. In green tea there was no the Guarantee Fund. He had succeeded in obtaining a little over \$2,000 a-year for three years, and he had no doubt he could increase that amount during the next week, as many of the seatholders had not yet been called settlements having been for shipment upon. His reception by men of all creeds to the land of the Czar. Ning chows had been most cordial, and the desire, on the on the subject, was very strong in favour chests 481,100, boxes 5,287. The of preserving the Church building intact. A resolution, cheerfully and thankfully accepting the money thus opportunely collected by Mr Legge, and liberally subscribed by residents and seatholders, was passed; and Dr Chalmers expressed his gratitude and joy at the turn affairs had taken, and at so far distant as Printing House Equare added to the officers' superannuation fund and 7 o'clock, he met complainant, who asked valuable and interesting statistics, which the result, that the House of God would still stand. It was then unanimously resolved, by resolution, that the Committee of Management be empowered to take the necessary steps to obtain a pastor for the Chorob, and that Mesars Legge, Gillies, and MacConachie be associated with the Committee for that purpose, as additional

representatives of the seatholders.

of the pen, as follows :- "It is said upon anything directly approaching want Oblnese Service have invariably been found fault with by the Government for their insufficient knowledge of English, and some of them have been sent back for that reason." It should have run, for their insufficient knowledge of Chinese. The lapeus pennas was almost self-evident, because everybody knows that admission is obtailed into the Service by examination in English. While we have heard of many complaints that those coming from the Central School did not know more Chinese, we cannot may we have ever heard it on good authority that any youths who have entered the Chinese Service from the Central School have been found fault with on socount of their roant knowledge of anglish.

THE following is the order of Service at St John's Cathedral, to morrow, second Sunday after Trinity :-

Matins :- Venite, No. 4 Monk : Psalms,

No. 40 and 39 Monk; To Doum, Bernoy in D ; Jubilate, No. 108 Monk ; Anthem. "Ariso, Shine" (Elvey); Kyrie, No. 1 Mercer: Hymn No. 310. Evensong:—Psalms, No. 43 and 42

Magnificat, Nunc Dimitus, Wesley in F Hymn, 194; Hymn, 19. In the running for the Derby, according to | present time :-

the Straits Times, Muncaster came in 7th. Vonderstaun 8th, Apollo 10th, Teviotdale

THE Shanghai Moreury presents with one of its recent issues a cartoon representing an old woman, flourishing an umbrella, a la of course, by the insurance companies Mrs Gamp. I'n the various breadths of her dress are the following inscriptions: - The Shanghai Mercury - Bile-Scandal-Slavder-Dished-up Opinions-Stale Jokes-Imbecility. Whether it is intended to have seried with a silver cup by the officers of plicity that,-" We take it the caricature the Magistrucy, as a mark of their respect | means that old women think the most uncharitable things of us." We are afraid we

> In publishing the Courier's précis of the treaty made by Chung How with Russia, and the translation of the censor's condemnatory memorial thereon, the Japan Gazette human life, and give rise to the most

Another and most important document has not yet been made known, vis. ; the second and subsidiary convention relating to a war between China and Japan, and the ! conditional or contingent action of Russia in such case. We are of opinion that the Japanese Government, having obtained a copy of the first treaty and the memorial hereon, have also a copy of the agreement concerning China and Japan. That the second treaty was made we do not doubt as our information, imperfect as it is, is on high authority.

THE Japanese papers report that some Englishmen have sent a request to the Osaka Mint for the coinage into silver yen silver. The Mint is therefore bus ly engaged on this work. It is said that the coins are for use at Hongkong and the neighbourhood,

Chinese authorities to check opium-smoking throughout this province, are like most other reforms attempted in China, likely to prove little more than a nine days' wonder. Late advices from Chinkiang are to the effect that a few of the houses that had closed in obedience to the proclamation issued by the authorities had opened, and the same is reported to be the case at Tungchow. If this be so, it may be expected that the shops in the Shanghal city will cerfere with the lucrative trade now being done by the establishments for the convenience of smokers in the settlement. particular reason, we hear, is assigned for the change of policy on behalf of the officlals,-N. C. D. News,

WHILST the Newchwang was at Taiwanfoo there were rumours effoat that the Mandarins had succeeded in discovering a Russian spy, the evidence against the unfortunate mortal being, that he had received a letter from Europe with a Continental postage stamp on it. - Mercury.

THE Feast of Corpus Ohristi was celebrated here on Sunday last with the usual pomp. At 8 a.m. there was High Mass, His Lordship the Bishop pontificating. In th afternoon after the Vespers, a very imposing procession was formed, in which all the members of the Confraternity of the Most Holy Sacrament took part.

The feast of the Month of May, consecrated to the Blessed Virgin, was closed with a High Mass on the Bist ultimo, the number of communicants being unusually large. In spite of the bad weather during several days in the month the daily attendance has been large, and the devotion slaplayed very edifying. - Catholic Register.

REFERENCE to the degrading and undiguified policy of certain English newspapers whose conductors have turned round, at once the Conservatives were out of power, and asked for places as journalistic focimen and general backs, from the Liberal Party, the World seeks to point a lesson, which one or two newspapers whose local habitation is not free of income tax, and that \$25,000 be on his leaving the surgery this morning, at might well profit by. It ill behooves independent and honest journals to make any great outery about such a matter sa this if "dollars" be their only object, because all that the "nobbling" paper loses and more too, that paper which pursues a manly straightforward course, puts in Its own pocket as additional earnings. But

A sure occurred in the article we gave last | are at stake, when we see an invertebrate | £190,000. The increase in the reserve fund night embodying certain information re- newspaper being utilised for the "nobbling ceived as to the views of the Inspector of process," and when we believe that it is Schools upon the teaching of English and | more from mere " want of thought" on Chinese. What we wrote, was, by a slip the part of its conductors than from very good authority that the youths from principle, we cannot forbear giving it a the Central School who have joined the friendly and emphatic warning. Such warning publicly given and left unheeded, we shall be content to leave the matter to the common-sense of a community which has before now been found not slow to adopt the most thorough and practical means expressing its disgust with everything crooked or underboard in public or political life. The World, very sensibly says, in the article we allude to :-

Surely the lesson which these facts convey is so plain that none can miss it. It is not worth the while of any newspaper proprietor or editor, whoever he may be, in return for scraps of information doled out by appercilious accretaries and by illconducted party whips, and in the faint hope of a social or personal promotion which in all probability will never arrive, to sacrifice the independence which makes journalism an honourable profession, and which alone makes the support of any journal worth baving. This it might thought was so self-evident a truth as to be a truism: but certain experiences during the lest few years make us doubt the fact, and therefore it is that we verture to impress it now upon all whom it may concorn.

Mn W. D. Spence, in his report in the capacity of H.M.'s Acting Registrar Shipping, makes the following remarks, on the Shipping Trade of China for 1878, which are worthy of consideration at the

The annual tes race was conducted in the usual reckless fashion, and the dangerous and difficult channel of the Yangtaze coursed along by day and night at full speed. The most renowned ship in the race was driven ashers, and had to pay a handsome sum to one of the river steamers to haul her off, which sum had to be defrayed. This reckless navigation is to be deplored and one may be allowed to hope that one of the two Powers, who are competent to stop it, may step in and do so. One these is, of course, the Government China, which may choose to exercise the right of eminent domain it has over its in and waters, and refuse to allow ocean steamers of large draught of water to travel at full speed by night along one of the most crowded river channels in the world. The only other power that out stop it is the Home insurance offices. It has been demonstrated over and over again by repeated accidents, that so long as steamers are place. Yangtsze, the rates of premia charged by insurance offices or teas shipped from Hankow to London, and on hulls engaged in the trade are incommonsurate with the risks run. Competition has nearly reached its limit here, and the companies must in self-defence unite to condema a practice which not only endangers valuable ships and cargo, but may at any time jaopard se irritating and protracted of all international disputes in China-a suit in Admiralty before an English judge, where a Chinese ju k, with probably a pauper owner, is

Ar the ordinary general meeting of the Naional Bank of India held on April 22nd, Mr R. O. Campbell in the chair, the Directors' report was submitted. It showed that the profit, including £4,278 brought forward, was £40,275. An ad interim dividend, at 6 per cent. paid June 30th, absorbed £11,631. Another dividend, same rate and amount, was now proposed, the rest of the of about four or five million of ounces of | year's profit to be distributed thus,—to reserve fund £15,000, and to next account £2,012. The directors believed that the shareholders would approve of the policy of increasing the reserve fund, even should It is rumoured that the steps taken by the | that involve temperarily a moderate rate of dividend; the addition above proposed raises the reserve fund to £35,000. The directors repeated the assurance that the business of the bank continued satisfactory at all points. The Chairman in his speech referred to the depressed condition of things under which the last meeting was held. Circumstances had happily changed since open before long, which will, of course, in- then. The bank held £45,000 of the city of Glasgow Bank's acceptances; they ac cepted 20/- in the £, without interest. The course of the bank since the last meeting had been a comparatively smooth and uneventful one. The volume of business had greatly increased, involving, unavoidably, some increase in the charges for management. Unfortunately, the profits did not always bulk up in the same proportion as the business; but, if they had not had the opportunity of making great profits, they had avoided any losses beyond such as were inseparable from the ordinary business of banking. But full provision had been made for these losses, leaving a considerable margin for contingencies. conclusion, the Chairman moved a dividend of 24 per cent. for the half-year ended 31st December last; carried. The retiring directors and auditors were reappointed and a vote of thanks to the chairman, directors, and staff, closed the proceedings.

AT the annual general meeting of the pro- of prepared opium, the property of prietors of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, held previous to the departure of the mail last to hand, the Directors' report, submitted, showed that after providing for bad and doubtful debts the net profits, with the addition of £8,756 brought forward, amount to £101,328. The interim dividend to 30th June, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, which was declared in October last, absorbed £24,000 of that sum, and from the present balance of receiving officer. £77,328 the directors proposed that a diviyear at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, approved. The Chairman, Mr W. Peterson, shoot him. Defendant at this time was, fairs could not fail to engender confidence nature. in the minds of the shareholders and their when the dignity and honesty of Journalism | the profits, was this year brought up to | labour,

would not only add to the stability of the bank, but at the same time increase its earning powers. For some years the shareholders had been satisfied with a 5 or 6 per cont dividend, and the shares were now intrinsically worth more than they were some time since. The Board would, as the bank could profitably-employ more capital, like to see an increase in the amount of deposits for fixed periods. He was happy to say that they had settled the claim against the City of Glasgow Bank with the liquidators by forgiving the claim for interest. The Chairman's remarks were received with applause. The retiring directors and auditors were unanimously re-elected and the usual votes of thanks were awarded.

SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before His Honor F. Snowden, Puisne

Judge.) Saturday, June 5. TURNER AND OTHERS v. LAI LUK. \$722 .-

Mr Wotton appeared for plaintiffs and Mr Johnson for defendant. Mr D. McCalloch, of the firm of Messra Turner & Co., said defendant was a pirce-

stipulated when delivery was to be taken, that each member should, as far as possible. and it was clearly and distinctly understood always appear at drill on the same pony at the auction was large. The goods how- promised to do. The first foot dril: will at the purchase by \$722, the amount aued Messrs. Holl.day, Wise & Co.'s compound.

their godowns a quantity of Irish lineus, however, will be issued by the Council. on the 22od May. On the 21st he sent, tion of sale to the several piece-goods of the American barque Helena, dealers in the town, and the plaintiff received a potice as did other traders. A large number of persons attended the auctio and he did not think the sale was prejudiced by the shortness of the notice given. Mr Johnson contended that the notice of the sale was not sufficient, and called one witness who said he would have attended the auction if he had known it was to take

Mr Wotton argued that the case as put forward by the plaintiff was complete, and that in the terms of the agreement it was not necessary to give him any notice of the sale whatever. The only reason why defendant had not taken delivery of the goods was because he had no money to pay for them. His Lordship was clearly of opinion that

sufficient notice had been given, and that the goods had not been depreciated thereby. Judgment for plaintiffs, with costs.

> Police Intelligence. (Before C. V. Creagh, Esq.) Saturday, June 5.

BREACHES OF THE OPIUM ORDINANCE. Hung Atim, a fishmonger, was charged with being in possession of prepared opium without a permit from the Opium Farmer. P. C. No. 20, C. A. Peterson, said he was on duty near desendan's house at Stanley this morning at 3 o'clock, when he encountered a strong smell of opium. On the premises being searoued a quantity of opium was found, as well as documents relating to the sale of the drug at different periods. Defendant admitted the charge, and was fined in the sum of \$75, in default of payment two months' imprisonment.

Cheng Ashek, a cook, also appeared on a charge of being in possession of a quantity of prepared opium without a permit from the Opium Farmer.

Defendant said the opium was given him by a man, but he is unable to find him now, and he did not want to look for him. Fined \$100, in default of payment six weeks' imprisonment.

Kwan Ayan, a seaman, was charged with being in unlawful possession of a quantity of iron on the 4th instant. Defendant made the customary Chinese excuse, viz. that a friend gave him the iron

Fined \$1, in default, five days' imprisonment with hard labour.

to sail, but he was unable to and his friend

SNATUHING EAR-RINGS.

Hou Asze, a hawker, was charged with snatching a pair of ear-rings from the parson of one Laung Amni, on the 4th instant Defendant denied the charge and said was another man who stole the ear-rings and he had been arrested by mistake. Four months' imprisonment with hard labour, and to be expused in the stocks for six hours in the Hollywood Road.

EMBEZZLEMENT.

Bum Soung Chun, a shopman, was chargd with emberring the sum of 2 taels, candareen, and 8 li in cash, and 21 taels Ban Hop & Co. of the Opium Farm on the lat

he would pay the money and the value of the opium to the Farmer. His Worship decided to remand the case to Japanese traders. There were quite a for one week for the purpose of giving it further consideration.

A HOW IN THE GAOL. Utter Singh, a guard in Victoria Gaol, chaudise t in fact everything necessary for and threatening to shoot E. L. Rochs, the ment. She left the same evening.

It appeared that defendant reported sick yesterday evening, and was relieved from dend be declared for the second half of the duty. To day he was ordered to submit himself for inspection by the doctor, and \$40,000 to the reserve fund, making the him what was the matter. The reply he latter £190,000. The balance to be carried received was couched in the most abusive tion. forward would be £8,328. The report was language, accompanied with a threat to said the accounts conclusively showed that fortunately, not in possession of shooting

Ohina.

SHANGHAI. V. t. D. News.) The s.s. Celtic Monarch, from London, got aground near the Woosung Bar early on Tuesday morning (25th.) she got off about I a.m. yesterday, without assistance and came up to Shanghai. - The steamsh Celtic Monarch is expected to go into the Old Dock next week for repairs.

The Rev. Canon Scott, the Bishop Designate of the see of North thina, left for England, by way of America, by the M. B. Co 's steamer Tokio Mara (26tl.). H.M.S. Encounter and the Rissian gunboat Nerpa arrived on the aftern on of the 26th, the former from Amoy and the latter

from Nagasaki. The British ship Steelfield Captain Dunlop, arrived on the 26th from Antwerp, 186 days out. In the Sunda Straits she with Japan, a nation as foreign to Korea as passed a large American ship, name unknown, bound from New York to Shanchal On the 12th instant, in lat. 22 9 24' N. and long, 116° 52' K., she signalled the German barque Ano bound from Cronstadt to the Amour River. "all well."

On Saturday evening a meeting was held at the Board Room of the Municipal Council Offices for the purpose of reorganising the Volunteer Ranger Corps. About twenty-five gentlemen were present. goods dealer, and had done-business with Major-Commandant Holliday took the them for a considerable time past. The chair, and Mr T. N. Va der Tak acted as present action arose out of a sale of frish | Secretary. Major Holliday read a letter linens in two quantities of 300 and 550 from the Municipal Council, in reply to a pieces; of the 300 pieces delivery had been communication from him, in which the aken of one case on y, containing 30 pieces; Council expressed their willingness to issue and of the 550 pieces none whatever had arms and accourrements to the Corps, but been taken up. A contract was entered into | suggested that the question of uniforms and signed on the 23rd February, respect should be left till the autumn, and also ing the latter quantity, a date was that a fundamental rule should be made that, if the goods were not taken up within It was resolved to organise the Corps in two months from the date of the contract, accordance with the suggestions made by they would be put up to auction Notice the Council A provisi nal committee of was frequently sent to defendant to come five was elect d to draw up the by-laws. and take delivery, and it was not till a fort- and Mr Whitty was chosen as drill instrucnight after the expiration of the contract | tor. The election of officers was postponed time that the sale took place. The usual till a future day. In the meantime Major announcement of the sale was made to the Holliday was requested by those present to the following: dealers in piece-goods, and the attendance command the company, which he kindly ever failed to fetch the amount agreed upon take place at 6 p.m. on Wednesday in and pony drill will be held on Saturday at Mr Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and the same hour. Members are to wear Legge, said he received instructions from | white patrol jackets, flannel trousers and Measrs Turner and Co. to sell by auction at foraging caps, only the latter of which, It is rumoured that Messra Wheel ck through his compradore, the usual intima. & Co. have recently become the purchasers

> (Mercury.) The British gunboat Moorken arrived at the Pagoda Anchorage, from Tamsui and Keelung, on the 26th ultimo.

The Chief Officer of the writish bk. City of Carlisle, which arrived here on the 25 h rom Antwerp, lost his life overboard during a gale of wind while on the passage to this port. It appears that the unfortunate man was engaged on the jib-boom taking in the jib, and that owing to the heavy sea no assistance could be rendered him. inquiry will take place before H. M.'s containing a proposition from the President Registrar and Shipping in a few days.

We find that fifty-six steamers and sailing ressels have made use of the Associated Wharves during the present month. This is the largest number of vessels, we believe that has gone alongside the Wharves during any month.

A correspondent of the N. C. D. News writing May 24th, gives the following

Japan and Russie (1) The Alpha, Beta, Gamma and Delta with the Fei hu are at l'a-lien wuan Bay. One of this gunboats as met with an accident or discovered nice rock to sit on. The Fei hu came in last Monday for provisions and left again in about twenty-four hours.—There are only two merchants ships in harbour.

> Japan. NAGABARI.

(Rising oun, May 22.) As mose of our readers are well aware. preparatory mining operations on a large cale have been assiduously prosecuted for some time past on the island of Nakanoshims, in this vicinity, and many will no doubt be glad to hear that success has so far attended the sudeavours of this under taking, in that a fine seam of coal, nine feet in thickness, has been struck, at a distance of 193 feet in the pit, which, to far as at present can be judged, is of the very best quality. nother seem, four f et thick, has also been discovered to exist about five feet lower down. Some time must naturally elapse before any out-put can be looked for. as considerable work yet remains to be done, in the matter of erecting machinery, etc. In due course we hope to hear of a good out-put, when we trust the result may more than realise the highest expectations, and eventually prove a source of great profit to the enterprising proprietor, and of much benefit to the general mercantile interests of the port. The mine is owned by Mr Mine, a uative of this ken, and is under the superintendence of an old resident and well-known mining engineer, E. H. M. Gower, Esq.

The flig-ship Iron Duke arrived from Cheloo on Saturday morning last, and the first gun of the salute to the port was fired as the anchor fell; some delay occurred at the fort before the return salute was fired, and even then the flag was not changed, se is customery. The Russian gunboat Gor nostai, Captain Stark, arrived from Wladiwestock on Thursday. The Kichmond is expected to leave Shanghai on the 25th instant, for this port. The Vigilant, with Admiral Coots on board, is expected from Tientain on Monday, and will probably make only a very short stay here. Men-otwar in harbour-British Iron Duke and Fly; French, Kerguelen; Russian, Gornostal and Nerpa.

The Mitsu Bishi Co.'s steamship Akitsu-Defendant admitted the charge and said shime Muru arrived here from Yokohama on Sunday morning, en route to Kores, where another port is about to be opened number of passengers on board, including Government officials, merchants, artisans, and labourers. Her cargo consisted of prepar ed timber for constructing houses for the set tlers, household utensils, and general merwas charged with creating a dirturbance the speedy formation of a Japanese settle-

Oxe of the severest things said at the recent elections was that said by Lord Hartington when he gave, as his opinion, "every class-interest will find it better to be harassed by a Liberal Government than protected by a Tory administra-

A Coursey on a tour through the Highlands had his native modesty terribly shocked by witnessing on a board at a the bank was doing a sound and profitable irons, and his threat was therefore, for all hotel door the following startling bit of business. The statement of the bank's of practical purposes, of a most harm'ess matrimonial intelligence-" The Duchess of Athole leaves the Dake's Arms punctual-His Worship nevertheless sentenced the ly at six every morning, except Sunday. constituents generally. The reserve fund, defendant to pay a fine of \$2, in default to Nor has he learned till now that the seembegun five years ago with £20,000 out of suffer five days' imprisonment with hard ingly confidential intimation had reference to a coach that carries the mails.

THE KOREAN QUESTION. (Japan Gazette.)

Information has been received to the effect that the Russian mission sent to Kores to negotiate a treaty-of friendship and commerce between the two countries, has been unsuccessful. The letter or proposition sent to the Korean anthorities having been rejected, an armed party was sent on shore to demand un explanation, or reasons for rejection, from the governor. On the approach of the armed party the officers and sentries posted near the residence of the governor ran towards the gates of the town to close them against the barbarians. The governor, however, had an interview with the officer in charge of the expedition, the latter making the pertinent inquiry how it was the Koreans were unwilling to make a treaty with Russia while satisfied to do so is Russia? The reply of the governor is unknown, and the Russian question is as vet unanswered.

The correspondent of the Mai Nichi Shinbun describes the intercourse of Japanese residents with the Korean people in amusing terms. Large crowds of Koreans assemble every fine day in the foreign settlement to gaze in wonder and astonishment at the appliances of civilization introduced by the Japanese settlers, and it is only on a rainy day that Fusan is free, consequent upon the government prohibiting the use of umbrellas and shoes. The Koreans are a mild and industrious people, and excellent servants can be obtainted for from three to seven yen per month. The Koreans recognize no force but that of wanrioku (physical strength) as they are quite unable to understand reason or argument. The officials are very corrupt. officers of the highest rank being frequently guilty of largeny, which is considered a very venial offence. When inferior officials are detected in theft they are simply beaten. which is not considered a disgraceful punish.

In translations from native papers we find

Immediately upon the departure of the Ticonderoga from Fusan a number of guns were fired in honour of the glorious expulsion of the enemy. The authorities are collecting a number of troops in and around Fusan to guard against contingencies, (such as the return of the Tsconderoga) and to protect the country from invasion. Upon the aproach of the Ticonderoga the officials and people became greatly excited, and when it was known that it was an American ship, memory of past events served to increase their dismay. The suggestion of Mr The Monocacy left this morning (29th) for Consul Kondo that an official should be sent to board the vessel and ascertain her mission, was rejected with the utmost anger.

We understand the departure of the Ticonderoga, which vessel was to have left for Korea to-day (27th) has been postponed until the early part of next week. The course of action about to be followed by Commodore Shufeldt is not positively known, but it is supposed he will proceed to Korea alone and cause a letter to be presented to the King of the United States for a treaty of friendship and commerce. Should the letter be refused, or treated with indignity, or an evasive or insulting answer be returned Commodore Shufeldt will, in the exercise of discretionary power, press the matter still further in an amicable manner, or call to his aid all or any portion of the United States fleet now on the Uhina station, telegraphing atonce to Washington for final instructions. The vessels of the fleet now serving on this station available for immediate service are the Richmond, 14 guns, Captain Bonham, carrying the flag of Rear-Admiral Patterson; H.M.S. Perasus, left this morning for the Alert, 4 guns, Commander Huntington, and the Ashuelat, 6 guns, Commander Johnson. The last named vessel is just out of the Pootung dook where she has been undergoing very extensive repairs, to which it is also the intention of the U.S. government to subject the Palos and the Monocacy, the remaining vessels of the United States fleet in these waters. In the course of a few weeks we may look for some interesting

> THE bill approving the project of an International Exposition at New York in 1888. in celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the Treaty of Versailles. which recognized American Independence. has been passed by the Senate. The bill incorporates the United States International Commission consisting of many eminent citizens, who will have charge of all the details of the Exposition, and who will continue in authority until January let.

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Hongkong Bank, 67 % prem, sales.

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(Taken at Mesers Falconer & Oo.'s Premisen Queen's Road.) Honorona, June 5. Banourthe 9 a.M ... 29.888 4 P.M. Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 1 P.M. 80 Do. Maximum Do. Minimum over night

WORD SQUARES. of words by the Saturday preceding Midsummer Particular attention is called to the following greater or lesser quantities.

Revised Rules :employing words not in common use and Anglicised proper names will receive two, and those squared by using technical terms and foreign words one credit. These credits will be accumulative, and successful answers will- be published. No word will rank as a common English word unless it can be found in a modern English Dictionary: while at the same time it in modern English Dictionaries are not common

words.

word will be given each week.

"MUFFIN."

Answers have been sent in by "Arothusa," "Kris," and "Parva Puella." classified thus-"Janet," first "Arethusa." "Kris." and "Parva Puella," second class. "Janet" has sent the following:-

R T S FIRLOT INTONE ESTED The next word to be "squared" is

A HOLIDAY IN BOSOBOSO.

"SCHOOL."

(The Californian.) about seven million persons. This po- peans are entirely untaxed.

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some three hundred years old, having too outside. been founded soon after the discovery. being consequently very great.

make the islands self-supporting, and than a gypsy.

ground, derived from traditions, in all large pigeon. The traveler in the islands probability, of the cruelties suffered by has little to fear from wild animals,

now so extensive, is due to American -there are few or no bridges in the will receive three credits, those squared by enterprise. As far back as 1626, the country. Madrid government sent to Manila to A cup of chocolate, a glass of water, inquire if it was possible to make bemp and a cigar make our breakfast. The ropes in the islands, and, in response, accommodations have not been sumpthe captain-general loaded a ship with thous, but they have been freely given, hemp-trees, and sent several natives skill- without a thought of compensation. The ed in making it. The hemp was utilized native is very hospitable, and one could must be understood that many words to be found in a rough way through the country; travel for weeks without any botel bills whenever the people wanted a little rope to pay. Bidding good-bye to the fair they cut down a hemp-tree and made it Zeli, we get on our horse and ride on. China Mail, by noon on Saturday, and a new on the spot. It is easily managed, as Now we Lear a strange noise like shriekthe plant is a species of plantain. But ing and groaning, and on looking about the cargo of hemp-plants all rotted away to discover what it can be, we find that long before they reached the Cape of it proceeds from carts loaded with hemp, Good Hope, and the matter was suffered each drawn by three buffaloes abreast.

> population of about three hundred thou- each side of us. The tops of the trees sand, chiefly made up of natives, with are connected with each other by Europeans-almost entirely Spanish- bridges from tree to tree, and convey the ing from the mixture of these races, it is distilled and made into cocoanut himself; and it is by this means that to the one where we stopped last night.

site, in the heart of modern Manila, with stubble, and invites one to wander on horseback, legs turned widely out, &c.-T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47, surrounded by lofty walls, bounded by a where he will. The bright colors which the big toe only in the stirrup, no girth Queen's Road, by special appointment most, and entered only by draw-bridges, the natives love are very becoming to to the saddlle, and nothing but a bit of to H.E. the Governor. which can be hoisted in case of need. their ruddy-brown complexions. Here hemp, noosed over the lower jaw, for a Chronometers, Watches, Jewellery, The trade of Manila was restricted for comes a couple, a man and a woman, bridle, A woman follows, sitting on a Maps and Charts.—G. FALCONER & Co., many years to a yearly ship to Acapulco, carrying corn to the Manila market. straw side-saddle with no pommel, a Queen's Road Central. bringing silks and East India goods, and They keep up a running trot, carrying bundle of nice white hemp in front of Travelling Requisites of all kinds, taking back silver bars. It hardly their loads on their heads keeping time her, and a little girl behind her, carrying Books, &c.-Lane, Crawford & Co. merited the name of trade, but it was by step and gesture to a refrain that the a bag to fill with rice in exchange for American and English Stores, Books, all that the Madrid government would man is whistling. The buffelo is the the hemp. Still another horse comes in and specially selected Cigars .- MACpermit. A naval vessel was set apart beast of burden, and is either in the sight, carrying a rider, and also a bushel- EWEN, FRICKEL & Co. for this service. A general had com- water, with only his horns and the tip basket of coconnuts on each side. mand of the expedition, in addition to of his snout showing, or else lazily feed. Here we leave the road, and, after prints, &c., choice Tobacco and Cigars. the ship's officers. The whole company ing in large groups, up to the knees in some miles through the woods, come out -Moore's Variety Store, 42, numbered some five hundred men. The in mud, with a white crane or a crow, on a level green spot above the village of Queen's Road. round voyage occupied the whole year, and sometimes both, perched on his Bosoboso. All around and as far as the Watches, Jewellery, Charts, Binocuone monsoon bringing them and the back. Here we see a native house, the eye can see, grows the sensitive plant, lars, Optical Instruments, Mordan's other taking them back. Their route walls and roof of which are built of more than fetlock deep. As we look Pencil-cases, &c .- John Noble, agent and course of conduct were minutely thatch, and all the rest of bamboo the back, the horses' tracks are as plainly for Negretti & Zambra. laid out for them. Every night they whole establishment being raised about marked as though we had come through Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Ammunition, took in all sail, and lay to. Permits to five or six feet from the ground. Un- snow, Down below, in the valley, the and Sportsman's Requisites of all descripship goods on this vessel were to be had derneath lies the wooden mortar and village shows through the trees, the tions.—WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gunonly from the captain-general, in Manila, pestle used to pound the daily allowance white-washed church and convent con- makers, Eastern House of Beaconsfield = 2 and as each bale paid three or four of rice; some chickens are roosting on it trasting with the brown thatch of the Arcade. hundred per cent. profit, some very now. A few pigs are lying in wait for houses. The convent is the parsonage, extraordinary methods for gaining the whatever may full through the floor, and usually is connected with the desired permission were often resorted The owner, although unknown to us, church. to. This colony, lying so far from the salutes, as is customary throughout the A procession is coming, accompanied Legalised Tariff of Fares for Chairs, mother country, was only preserved to islands, and politely asks us to come up by a band, and we catch the familiar her by the cautious policy pursued; and -literally to "come up," as the only strains of "Yankee Doodle." What can it was in accordance with this policy means of entering the house is by a it mean? The cura is heading it, and that trade was so restricted. The Eng- ladder of four or five steps. The little behind him come the acolytes. We dislish and Dutch were turbulent neighbors, children, on seeing me approach, run cry- cover, at last, that it is a funeral. All and made various attempts upon Manila. ing to their mother "Castila! Castila!" covered up with ribbons and flowers, the Indeed, the English once took the place, the term by which they know all whites. corpse is carried on a man's head, on an and held it for a year. The country was Their sister, more experienced, takes me ordinary tea-tray. The relatives come conquered and governed by the church, for a priest, as I am dressed in a black straggling along behind, without any and is so governed to this day, the rubber coat, and, advancing demurely, demonstrative signs of grief, but with number of Europeans being a mere raises my right hand and kisses it. On the contented expression that people handful as compared with the native being informed of her mistake, she wear when they are satisfied that they population, and the power of the church laughs merrily, disclosing beautiful teeth, are doing the correct thing. These Up to the year 1820, the yearly bud- slthough given to chewing the betel-nut. there is not a village in the land that get of the Philippine Islands was only Her long black hair is pushed back with does not beast its brass band. The priest five hundred thousand dollars, and they a comb, and streams down her back, generally owns the instruments, and so To Victoria Gar (to LEVEL OF UMBRELLA had never found the means for raising almost touching the ground. A bright has free music for the church, and turns more than half this sum in the islands red skirt, an exceedingly simple and an honest penny by biring out the band themselves. The other two hundred scant white cotton jacket, with a few for funerals, as in this case. A family Four Coolies, ... and fifty thousand dollars were charged charms hanging round her neck, make will mortgage themselves for a year in Three Coolies, 0.50

slightly, till now the yearly budget has The floor is made of split bamboo. A hear, and from the different national swelled to thirteen millions of dollars, bench of the same material runs the men-of-war, that have visited Manila and, of this, two millions are remitted length of one side of the house. In the from time to time, they have learned the directly to Spain, in the shape of leaf corner is a flat box, with ashes and a few embers in it, where the meals are The soil is as fertile as volcanic action | cooked. One or two colored prints of | saint of Bosobos, and that it is a holi can make it, and the face of the country saints hang round the walls, and a day is evident from the gala dress of all is beautifully diversified by a range of diminutive box in one corner contains who pass, going to the village. Here is mountains running through the center the family finery. This is all, and a real dandy. A natty straw hat, a blueof it. I am now referring to the largest answers their simple wants. Such a figured shirt—through which is seen his island of the group, Luzon, on which house could be built for ten dollars. well-developed figure-worn outside the Manila is situated, and which is about Supper being ready, we all sit round on pantaloons, and plaited from the neck half the size of the State of California. the floor; boiled rice is handed about on down; white pantaloons, patent-leather The mountains are green the year round. plantain leaves, a few eggs are boiled in gaiters, with a fancy cane, and he is The woods seem to begrudge the sea my honor, and with fresh guavas and complete. The houses are all gay with even its usual strip of sand beach, so plantains the repast is ended. At bed- red hangings, streaming out of the closely does the vegetation approach the time each individual takes a roll of mat- windows. This bare-legged fellow, with water. Most of the streams give indica- ting from over-head, and unrolling it two animated bags in his hands, is tions of gold, and even at this day, in finds a pillow within. Stretching out evidently a servant of some well-to-do the salt-water creeks which intersect the mats, all lie down to sleep, with feet Indian, and is carrying his master's Manila in all directions, gold is found, toward the center. As soon as it is fighting-cooks to the cockpit, where there and collected in quills. In spite of these light the still morning air is vocal with are fully a thousand already on frequent and constantly recurring in the birds, twittering and singing in the ground. No need to ask where it is, as dications, gold has never been discovered | magnificent mango tree that overhangs | each bird strives, with all his might and in quantities sufficient to pay for the the house. No tree is more beautiful main, to make it known. expense of mining it. But, in truth, it | than this. The large, yellow, oval fruit really has never been intelligently forms a beautiful contrast with the thick sought. I have seen an old Californian, and shining dark-green leaves. Standwho did some prospecting there, and he ing in the doorway, the house is seen to said that if it were known in Australia be surrounded with a light fence of split and California what the promise of gold bambeo, enclosing a small and cleanlyreally was, there would most certainly swept yard. A few bright-red flowers be a rush. The climate is against the trail over the fence, without any parminer, as the heat of the sun-only ticular order, but with artistic effect. fifteen degrees north of the equator Three screaming cookatoos fly resulted renders outdoor labor by the white man about, disturbing the quiet morning with well nigh impossible. The natives have their strident cries. That distant booman invincible objection to working under ing noise comes from the throat of

the Peruviane, who were worked to although the wild pig will show fight if Prizes of \$15 and \$10 are offered to ladies death in the mines. No mining worthy cornered, and the buffalo in his native who succeed in "squaring" the greatest number of the name has ever been attempted, woods is still more ready for offense. although numerous spots show gold in The most frequent mishap, to the native traveler, is from crocodiles. These lie in The trade in Manila homp, which is wait for the unwary at the river crossings

to drop. In 1818, an American made The noise is caused by the creaking of a trial shipment of fourteen tons to the wheels. These are of one solid piece Boston, and from this modest beginning and made of heavy hard wood, the axles Manila's hemp trade has reached forty- of the same. We count sixteen, lumtwo thousand tons, exported during a bering slowly and noisily along. The road rises now, and we go up a gentle Manila is a large city, embracing a hill. A grove of cocoa-trees lies on twenty thousand Chinese, six thousand bamboos, which serve at once as airy St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above and a large sprinkling of creoles, result- palm-juice to a common centre, where "John" is numbered as soon as he whisky. A cocoanut-tree does not bear comes ashore here, and is given a license fruit till seven years after planting, that allowing him to exist, and for which he is, after the planting of the nut. A has to pay. In fact, he has to pay grove, all fruit bearing, is estimated to roundly for all his privileges, from keep- be worth one dollar per tree per year. ing store to making a pack horse of Now we pass groups of houses all similar The Philippine Islands-so named in Chinese immigration is stationary at In front of each, several fighting-cocks honor of the celebrated Philip II. of about thirty thousand for all the islands, are tethered by the leg, just out of each Spain-lie about four hundred miles to An influential Chinaman is appointed other's reach. On the left, and not more the southeast of China. Some one governor over the rest, and is then than two miles away, is a volcano, quiet thousand five hundred islands compose supported in his authority and held just now. The morning breeze carries the group, and easily give support to responsible for all that may occur. Euro- away a thin streamer of smoke, and at night a dark-red spot on the apex shows pulation is Malayan in character, and The Pasig, a narrow river, runs that the fires are alight, to burst out no signs are not wanting that the large through the city. As there are no rail- one can tell when. To the right we islands to the south, Java, Borneo, and roads, the river is a great highway for catch glimpses of several bays that the Sumatra, have been invaded and taken traffic, and many craft are constantly Pacific sends far into the land. Now possession of in the same manner, viz., passing up and down, bringing produce | we hear shouts and happy laughter, and by hordes from the Malay peninsula on from the great inland lake, where the here we see a group of women and girls the main-land. Spain claim sthe Philip stream has its source, or carrying up washing and bathing. All the streams pines by right of discovery. Magellan loads of cigar-girls, after their day's work along the road present very much the visitors at moderate rates, 110, Queen's landed on one of the islands in 1521, is done. Morning and evening, great same scene of a pleasant morning. These and here his renowned voyage ended, as numbers of these girls are met in the girls will undress before your very eyes, he was killed on the island of Mactan, streets, going to and from their labors. and do it without any feeling or knowafter having fought all day, with sixty They do not walk but shuffle along, as ledge of impropriety. The body-cloth, they are shod with little heelless slippers, that confines the skirt to the knees, they Manila is the capital city, and is now which are kept on by wearing the little slip up to beneath the armpits, and then, Illustrations of the Chinese. - A rong's toe outside.

The country is either green with stepping out of their skirts, they are Road. The ancient city still exists on its old standing rice crops on the fields, or yellow ready for the bath. A native passes us General Outfitter, Hosier, Tailor,

which she is very careful to keep white, Indians are exceedingly musical, and to Mexico, or New Spain, as it was then up her simple costume. Her name is advance in order to make the necessary Two Coolies, independence, it became necessary to charming. She is no darker in color what the tunes are, so long as the bass drum and cymbals are kept busy. They with that view trade was encouraged Furniture in the house there is none, are quick to catch anything they once

> various airs common to each country. This is the feast day of the patron

(To be continued).

Top of Sootch woach-Yankee tourist to driver : "I say, driver, I guess you ain't got no milestones on these roads." Drivers Ob, yes, sir, you'll see the last milestone we pass was a pig tree, the next one she'll pe a public house what they'll sold a tram!" Trachen What is meant by ships crossing the line ?" Scholar When they sail over the Equator." Teacher "Do you know of any other line at sea besides. the Fountor I's Boholar : 'Yes, sir: there's the Pacific Line, and the Orient Line, and Cunard Line, and several others.

Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a Visitors' Column, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

List of Public Buildings. Government House, North of Public

Gardens. City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum,-Free.

retreat and of great interest. The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf. General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's-throw.

near the Public Gardens.

the Parade Ground. Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington Union Church, Elgin Street.

Road, near Kennedy Road. Temperance Hall, specially adapted for sea-faring men, Queen's Road East. Sailors' Home, West Point. E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and

the Great Northern Telegraph Co., Marine House, Queen's Road. Masonic Hall, Zetland Street. Victoria Recreation Club-Bath-house and Boat-house, &c.,-Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City

The Barracks and Naval and Military Store Departments lie to the eastward, and cover a large area.

Hotels. Stag Hotel, good accommodation for Road Central.-J. Cook, Proprietor.

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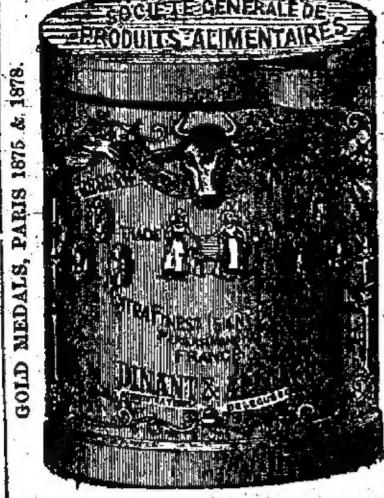
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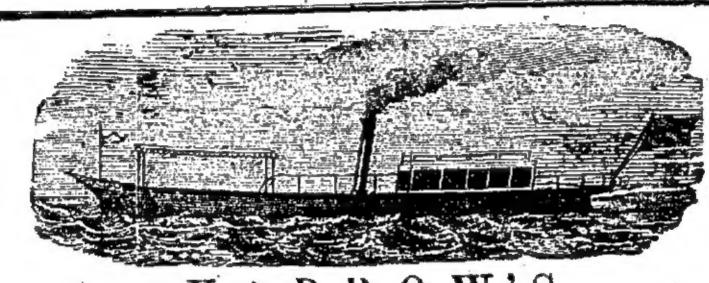
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